

# LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

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*The Legislative Update is a frequent report distributed throughout the legislative session. Each edition includes an update of legislative activities, as well as a list of specific legislative meetings of interest to the Partnership and our partners. Copies of bills can be found on the Legislature's website at [www.leg.wa.gov](http://www.leg.wa.gov).*

Friday was the first major deadline for legislation to move out of policy committees. Bills that did not make it out of committee before the 5 p.m. deadline are considered “dead,” but could be resurrected at any time if deemed necessary to implement the budget. Fiscal and transportation bills are exempt from this policy cutoff and have until March 1 to move out of their respective committees, including: House Appropriations, House Capital Budget, House Finance, Senate Ways & Means, and the Transportation. The last day for bills to be considered in their house of origin is March 13, 2013. You can print the full legislative calendar at: <http://www.leg.wa.gov/legislature/pages/cutoff.aspx>

## **Transportation proposal includes highest-ranked Puget Sound priority**

This year the Puget Sound Partnership ranked new funding requests proposed by other agencies with the priorities in the Action Agenda. The Washington State Department of Transportation's proposal to protect neighborhoods and the environment from polluted stormwater runoff on public roadways was ranked as the number one priority. The transportation package unveiled by House Democrats, [House Bill 1954](#), includes managing stormwater as part of the \$10 billion, 10-year transportation revenue package. You can read about the details and proposed revenue sources at <http://housedemocrats.wa.gov/judy-clibborn/rep-clibborn-supporters-unveil-transportation-package>.

In related news, Gov. Inslee announced his nominee for Secretary of Transportation. Lynn Peterson, a highway engineer and adviser to Oregon Gov. John Kitzhaber, will replace current Transportation Secretary Paula Hammond on March 8.

## **JLARC acknowledges progress and proposes improvements to the Action Agenda**

On Wednesday evening the Partnership's executive director, Anthony Wright, testified before the Joint Legislative Audit & Review Committee. The purpose of the hearing was to review the report from committee staff about the Puget Sound Action Agenda—the regional plan that leverages federal funding and provides the elected officials with a tool to make the most effective use of tax dollars.

## **2013 SESSION AT A GLANCE**

**Length:** 105 days. If necessary, the Governor can call for a 30-day special session. Legislators can call themselves into special session with a two-thirds vote.

**Next Cutoff:** Friday, Feb. 22 is the last day to read bills in the house of origin, except for fiscal and transportation committees.

### **Information:**

- For up-to-date legislative information, visit: [www.leg.wa.gov](http://www.leg.wa.gov)
- To watch or listen to a legislative hearing, visit: [www.tvw.org](http://www.tvw.org)
- For both current and previous copies of the Legislative Update, visit: [www.psp.wa.gov](http://www.psp.wa.gov)

### **Communication and Coordination:**

If you are planning to testify on a bill, meet with legislators, or would like assistance with state legislative issues regarding Puget Sound priorities—please contact:

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During the hearing, the committee reviewed an update to the 2011 assessment that concluded the 2008 Action Agenda lacked critical accountability tools. The latest review recognizes the significant improvements in the 2012 Action Agenda and highlights opportunities to improve linkages, prioritization and monitoring. During his testimony, Director Wright:

- Acknowledged challenges and successes integrating the work of more than **750 organizations** into one regional plan.
- Highlighted the Partnership’s **prioritization of other agency’s budget requests** related to Puget Sound.
- Emphasized the **need to evaluate ongoing programs and projects** to ensure effectiveness and alignment with the Puget Sound Action Agenda.
- Urged legislators to **increase tools for accountability**, investing in project and program monitoring resources to help the Partnership continue to serve the Legislature as an oversight agency.
- Emphasized that since 2007, the state’s **\$2.5 million** annual general-fund investment in the Partnership has returned **\$140 million** to the region in federal funding to implement the highest regional priorities.

### **State budget**

Many of our partners are asking, “When will we see a budget?” We expect to see a budget from the Senate after March 20 when the Economic & Revenue Forecast Council issues the next state revenue outlook. The House and Senate take turns proposing the first budget and this year it is the Senate’s turn to lead. Meanwhile, we continue emphasizing the highest-ranked funding priorities for Puget Sound to legislators serving on the following fiscal committees: [House Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government](#), [House Capital Budget](#), and [Senate Ways & Means](#).

### **The legislative session and the Supreme Court**

Partners are also asking, “How long will the legislative session last?” The Legislature is scheduled to adjourn on April 28. However, addressing the \$2 billion shortfall and adopting a balanced budget is the Legislature’s top priority and the Supreme Court is a key variable that could put us into overtime. It will be extremely difficult for the state to address the projected revenue shortfall without new revenue. The Washington Supreme Courts is considering whether a two-thirds majority vote is required by the Legislature to raise taxes without a constitutional amendment. If the Court does not uphold the requirement, a simple majority vote would be required to raise revenue. It is uncertain how and when the court will issue a decision.

## Legislation Pertinent to Puget Sound

### STORMWATER

**Prioritizing stormwater funding:** Sen. Rivers' legislation, [Senate Bill 5441](#), to prioritize funding the municipal stormwater permits from all funds appropriated by the Legislature (including the State Toxics Control Account and the Local Toxics Control Account) did not make it past the cutoff deadline. This bill is concerning to Puget Sound because it would disrupt the existing flexibility to invest in the multi-faceted solutions needed to prevent, manage and clean up polluted stormwater runoff. The companion legislation sponsored by Rep. Pike, [House Bill 1235](#), also did not make it past the cutoff deadline.

**Delaying new stormwater requirements:** Sen. Rivers' legislation, [Senate Bill 5326](#), to delay Phase I municipal stormwater permits, was scheduled for executive session on Thursday, but did not move out of committee. All of the Phase I permits are in compliance with federal and state requirements, except for Clark County, and the proposed bill would have created confusion and problems with interpreting the requirements for stormwater discharges.

### HABITAT

**Watershed planning grants:** Rep. Tharinger's legislation, [House Bill 1924](#), regarding watershed planning grants, moved out of committee on Thursday afternoon. The bill helps the diverse watershed planning groups identify and resolve local water issues at a local level by extending opportunities for local partners to apply for funds after the first five years of implementing local plans. The Partnership and Washington Association of Counties strongly support this legislation. You can watch the public hearing on TVW: [http://www.tvw.org/index.php?option=com\\_tvwplayer&eventID=2013021187](http://www.tvw.org/index.php?option=com_tvwplayer&eventID=2013021187)

**Aquatic invasive species:** Sen. Honeyford's legislation, [Senate Bill 5702](#), concerning aquatic invasive species, passed to the Rules committee on Friday, Feb. 22. The legislation specifies that transporting a recreational or commercial watercraft into the state without meeting valid documentation requirements is an aquatic invasive species infraction. It also repeals the Aquatic Nuisance Species Committee. The Partnership, Invasive Species Council, Ports Association and NW Marine Trade Association all support this legislation. The public hearing is available on TVW: [http://www.tvw.org/index.php?option=com\\_tvwplayer&eventID=2013021196](http://www.tvw.org/index.php?option=com_tvwplayer&eventID=2013021196)

**Relationships between agricultural producers and regulators:** Sen. Hobb's legislation, [Senate Bill 5766](#), relating to improving relationships between agricultural producers and state regulatory staff, advanced out of the Senate Agriculture, Water & Rural Economic Development Committee. The bill directs the Conservation Commission to initiate a forum between state regulatory agencies and agricultural producers to recommend improvements to policies, procedures and practices. The State Conservation Commission,

Farm Bureau, Association of Conservation Districts and the Cattlemen's Association supported the bill. The Department of Agriculture and Department of Ecology testified "enthusiastically neutral," emphasizing the similarity of the bill with the broader, ongoing collaboration among state agency directors, stakeholders and tribes to balance natural resource protection with the needs of working lands. You can watch the public hearing at: [http://www.tvw.org/index.php?option=com\\_tvwplayer&eventID=2013021165](http://www.tvw.org/index.php?option=com_tvwplayer&eventID=2013021165)

## **SHELLFISH**

**Ocean acidification:** Sen. Ranker's legislation, [Senate Bill 5547](#), to address ocean acidification in a comprehensive manner throughout all marine waters—including the coast, Puget Sound and Strait of Juan de Fuca, did not pass out of committee before the cutoff. The Partnership supports the Blue Ribbon Panel's recommendations, as well as the \$3.3 million included in Gov. Gregoire's proposed budget for implementation. We anticipate the bill will advance as part of another bill or a proviso in the budget.

**Shellfish aquaculture:** Rep. Seaquist's legislation, [House Bill 1894](#), regarding shellfish aquaculture research received a public hearing on Feb. 20. Contention arose between residents opposed to shellfish aquaculture and those supporting the bill's actual intent, which establishes a shellfish aquaculture public information center to serve as the information clearinghouse for aquaculture research, activities and regulations. The bill advanced to the Appropriations Committee where it will continue to be improved and fiscal issues addressed. This legislation implements near-term actions in the Puget Sound [Action Agenda](#). You can watch the public hearing at: [http://www.tvw.org/index.php?option=com\\_tvwplayer&eventID=2013021202](http://www.tvw.org/index.php?option=com_tvwplayer&eventID=2013021202)

**Marine aquaculture facilities:** Rep. Van De Wege's legislation, [House Bill 1599](#), to allow local control to site or prohibit marine aquaculture net pen facilities, did not move out of the House Local Government Committee. The companion bill sponsored by Sen. Hargrove, [Senate Bill 5633](#), did not receive a public hearing. The legislation stems from recently proposed bans on net pen aquaculture in shoreline master program updates adopted by Whatcom and Jefferson counties. The Department of Ecology will continue working with these jurisdictions to promote a scientific determination about where aquaculture may or may not be locally appropriate.

## **TOXICS**

**Derelict vessels:** Rep. Hansen's legislation, [House Bill 1245](#), regarding derelict and abandoned vessels in state waters, was voted out of the House Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government Committee. Sen. Pearson's bill, [Senate Bill 5663](#), which is similar to the House version, moved out of the Senate Natural Resources & Parks Committee. Todd Hass and other members of the Partnership's oil spill work group, testified in support of both bills. This bill makes prudent, proactive policy changes to prevent derelict vessels. We must continue advocating for the Derelict Vessel Removal Program to have the funding necessary to expedite the removal of older, larger, more expensive ships. We must also find innovative ways to incentivize the disposal of derelict vessels.

**Model Toxics Control Account (MTCA):** Sen. Ericksen's legislation, [Senate Bill 5296](#), which makes significant policy changes regarding the Model Toxics Control Act, was heard in the Senate Ways & Means Committee on Feb. 20. The proposed legislation aims to prioritize the uses of state and local toxics control account funding for important functions supported by voters related to preventing and reducing toxic substances, and managing hazardous and solid waste. Our partners testified with optimism, concerns and opposition. We support the intent of the effort to prioritize funding and expedite the cleanup of polluted sites, but continue to have concerns about how investments would be allocated and managed under this new paradigm. We strongly support a comprehensive review of MTCA funds to advance the highest priorities to clean up and protect Puget Sound. Sen. Ericksen continues working with stakeholders to improve the legislation, which will be part of the broader negotiations on the budget and transportation proposals.

**Brownfields:** Sen. Ranker's legislation, [Senate Bill 5201](#), to accelerate cleanup of hazardous waste sites, moved out of the policy committee and received positive support in the Ways & Means Committee. The Partnership supports this proposal to make toxic sites more competitive for funding and expedite toxic cleanups. The bill is not yet scheduled for executive session.

## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

**Urban economic revitalization:** Rep. Appleton's legislation, [House Bill 1648](#), providing for community economic revitalization in incorporated areas, moved out of the Community Development, Housing & Tribal Affairs Committee and is scheduled for a vote in the Capital Budget Committee on Feb. 26. The bill would authorize loans for municipalities to finance public facilities improvements that encourage revitalization of vacant and abandoned properties in incorporated areas. The Partnership, cities, and Puget Sound Regional Council support this legislation. Similar legislation sponsored by Sen. Rolfes, [Senate Bill 5533](#), regrettably did not survive the policy cutoff deadline.

**Working waterfronts:** Sen. Ranker's working waterfront redevelopment jobs act, [Senate Bill 5545](#), died abruptly in the Senate Energy & Environment Committee. Although it was scheduled for a vote, a series of procedural motions caused the committee to adjourn early and the bill died with several others that were on the agenda.

## Upcoming Legislative Hearings

### Monday, Feb. 25

8 a.m. House Capital Budget; Public Hearing:

[Substitute House Bill 1648](#) - Providing for community economic revitalization in incorporated areas.

2 p.m. Senate Ways & Means; Public Hearing:

- [Senate Bill 5679](#) - Improving the business climate and stimulating job creation by requiring certain agencies to establish a formal review process of existing rules. (If measure is referred to committee.)
- [Senate Bill 5765](#) - Promoting economic development through business and government streamlining projects. (If measure is referred to committee.)

### Tuesday, Feb. 26

8 a.m. House Capital Budget; Executive Session:

[Substitute House Bill 1648](#) - Providing for community economic revitalization in incorporated areas.

### Wednesday, Feb. 27

1:30 p.m. Senate Ways & Means; Public Hearing:

- [Senate Bill 5424](#) - Concerning paint stewardship.
- [Senate Bill 5603](#) - Establishing the Washington coastal marine advisory council.
- [Substitute Senate Bill 5663](#) - Regarding derelict and abandoned vessels in state waters.
- [Substitute Senate Bill 5802](#) - Developing recommendations to achieve the state's greenhouse gas emissions targets.



Bill	Comp. Bills	Title	Latest Cmte Mtg Info	Status	Original Sponsor
<b>BILLS KEY TO PUGET SOUND</b>					
<a href="#">HB 1052</a>	<a href="#">SB 5610</a>	Sewer systems in urban areas	Jan 22 Public hearing in the House Committee on Local Government at 1:30 PM.	H Local Govt	Angel
<a href="#">HB 1104</a>		Up-front environmnt planning	Jan 24 Public hearing in the House Committee on Local Government at 8:00 AM.	H Local Govt	Fitzgibbon
<a href="#">SHB 1127</a>		Prefire mitigation plans	Jan 30 Executive action taken in the House Committee on Public Safety at 1:30 PM.	H Approps	Klippert
<a href="#">HB 1163</a>		Administrative procedures	Feb 12 Public hearing in the House Committee on Government Operations & Elections at 8:00 AM.	H Govt Operation	Taylor
<a href="#">SHB 1188</a>		Underproducing ag land	Feb 23 Scheduled for public hearing in the House Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government at 9:00 AM. (Subject to change)	H Apps Gen Govt	Lytton
<a href="#">HB 1194</a>		Habitat project liability	Feb 5 Executive action taken in the House Committee on Judiciary at 10:00 AM.	H Rules R	Stanford
<a href="#">HB 1234</a>		Storm water reqs, phase I		H Environment	Pike
<a href="#">HB 1235</a>	<a href="#">SB 5441</a>	Storm water control	Jan 30 Public hearing in the House Committee on Environment at 1:30 PM.	H Environment	Pike
<a href="#">HB 1237</a>	<a href="#">SB 5435</a>	Storm water compliance	Jan 30 Public hearing in the House Committee on Environment at 1:30 PM.	H Environment	Pike
<a href="#">SHB 1245</a>		Derelict & abandoned vessels	Feb 23 Scheduled for public hearing in the House Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government at 9:00 AM. (Subject to change)	H Apps Gen Govt	Hansen
<a href="#">HB 1275</a>	<a href="#">SB 5788</a>	Wastewater discharge fees	Feb 21 Executive action taken in the House Committee on Environment at 10:00 AM.	H ENVIDP	Hunt
<a href="#">HB 1277</a>		Conservation easemnts/ tribes	Feb 5 Executive action taken in the House Committee on Community Development and Housing & Tribal Affairs at 10:00 AM.	S Natural Resourc	Sawyer
<a href="#">SHB 1294</a>	<a href="#">SB 5181</a>	Flame retardants	Feb 23 Scheduled for public hearing in the House Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government at 9:00 AM. (Subject to change)	H Apps Gen Govt	Van De Wege
<a href="#">SHB 1350</a>		Growth and water resources	Feb 21 Executive action taken in the House Committee on Agriculture & Natural Resources at 1:30 PM.	H AGNRDPS	Chandler
<a href="#">SHB 1364</a>	<a href="#">SB 5457</a>	Small rechargeable batteries	Feb 23 Scheduled for public hearing in the House Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government at 9:00 AM. (Subject to change)	H Apps Gen Govt	Tharinger
<a href="#">HB 1384</a>		Natural resources management		H Govt Acct & Ove	Orcutt
<a href="#">SHB 1401</a>	<a href="#">SB 5399</a>	Growth mgmt act/ penalties	Feb 21 Executive action taken in the House Committee on Local Government at 8:00 AM.	H LGDPS	Fitzgibbon
<a href="#">HB 1415</a>	<a href="#">SB 5290</a>	Hydroelectric generation	Feb 19 Public hearing in the House Committee on Environment at 8:00 AM.	H Environment	Haler
<a href="#">HB 1434</a>		Environmental decisionmaking	Feb 14 Public hearing in the House Committee on Environment at 10:00 AM.	H Environment	Pollet

<a href="#">HB 1444</a>		Household mercury lights	Feb 7 Public hearing in the House Committee on Environment at 10:00 AM.	H Environment	Hunt
<a href="#">HB 1478</a>	<a href="#">SB 5819</a>	Rule making, suspension of		H Govt Operation	Orcutt
<a href="#">HB 1570</a>	<a href="#">SB 5593</a>	Property tx exemption claims	Feb 19 Executive action taken in the House Committee on Finance at 6:00 PM.	H FINDP	Kretz
<a href="#">HB 1579</a>	<a href="#">SB 5424</a>	Paint stewardship		H Environment	Goodman
<a href="#">SHB 1591</a>	<a href="#">SB 5679</a>	Agency rule review process	Feb 21 Executive action taken in the House Committee on Government Operations & Elections at 10:00 AM.	H GOEDPS	Smith
<a href="#">HB 1599</a>	<a href="#">SB 5623</a>	Marine aquaculture	Feb 15 Public hearing in the House Committee on Local Government at 1:30 PM.	H Local Govt	Van De Wege
<a href="#">HB 1600</a>		Small forest landowners		H Ag & Nat Res	Orcutt
<a href="#">SHB 1648</a>		Cmty economic revitalization	Feb 25 Scheduled for public hearing in the House Committee on Capital Budget at 8:00 AM. (Subject to change)	H Cap Budget	Appleton
<a href="#">HB 1682</a>		Up-front enviro planning		H Local Govt	Fitzgibbon
<a href="#">SHB 1717</a>		Up-front enviro planning	Feb 22 Executive action taken in the House Committee on Local Government at 1:30 PM.	H LGDPS	Fitzgibbon
<a href="#">HB 1761</a>		Shellfish aquaculture		H Ag & Nat Res	Seaquist
<a href="#">HB 1794</a>		Shoreline developmnt permits		H Local Govt	Moscoso
<a href="#">HB 1848</a>		School siting	Feb 21 Public hearing in the House Committee on Local Government at 8:00 AM.	H Local Govt	Springer
<a href="#">SHB 1894</a>		Shellfish aquaculture	Feb 21 Executive action taken in the House Committee on Agriculture & Natural Resources at 1:30 PM.	H AGNRDPS	Seaquist
<a href="#">HB 1915</a>	<a href="#">SB 5802</a>	Greenhouse gas emissions		H Environment	Upthegrove
<a href="#">HB 1924</a>		Watershed planning grants	Feb 21 Executive action taken in the House Committee on Agriculture & Natural Resources at 1:30 PM.	H AGNRDP	Tharinger
<a href="#">SB 5054</a>		Habitat and recreation lands	Feb 20 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 3:30 PM.	S Ways & Means	Honeyford
<a href="#">SSB 5057</a>		Land acquired w/public funds	Feb 7 Executive action taken in the Senate Committee on Natural Resources & Parks at 1:30 PM.	S Rules 2	Ericksen
<a href="#">SB 5181</a>	<a href="#">HB 1294</a>	Flame retardants	Feb 21 Executive session scheduled, but no action was taken in the Senate Committee on Energy, Environment & Telecommunications at 1:30 PM.	S Energy, Enviro	Nelson
<a href="#">SSB 5201</a>		Hazardous waste site cleanup	Feb 20 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 3:30 PM.	S Ways & Means	Ranker
<a href="#">SB 5254</a>		Salmon & steelhead spawning		S Natural Resour	Chase
<a href="#">SB 5255</a>		Environment quality & health		S Energy, Enviro	Chase
<a href="#">SB 5276</a>		Designated agricultural land	Feb 21 Executive action taken in the Senate Committee on Agriculture and Water & Rural Economic Development at 10:00 AM.	S Rules 2	Hobbs



<a href="#">SSB 5290</a>	<a href="#">HB 1415</a>	Hydroelectric generation	Feb 13 Executive action taken in the Senate Committee on Energy and Environment & Telecommunications at 8:00 AM.	S Rules 2G	Delvin
<a href="#">SB 5295</a>		Shoreline mgmt act/ permits		S Energy, Enviro	Ericksen
<a href="#">SSB 5296</a>		Model toxics control act	Feb 20 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 3:30 PM.	S Ways & Means	Ericksen
<a href="#">SB 5326</a>		Storm water requirements	Feb 5 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Energy and Environment & Telecommunications at 1:30 PM.	S Energy, Enviro	Rivers
<a href="#">SB 5348</a>		Chemicals and public health		S Energy, Enviro	Nelson
<a href="#">SB 5424</a>	<a href="#">HB 1579</a>	Paint stewardship	Feb 21 Executive action taken in the Senate Committee on Energy and Environment & Telecommunications at 1:30 PM.	S Ways & Means	Chase
<a href="#">SB 5435</a>	<a href="#">HB 1237</a>	Storm water compliance	Feb 21 Executive session scheduled, but no action was taken in the Senate Committee on Energy, Environment & Telecommunications at 1:30 PM.	S Energy, Enviro	Cleveland
<a href="#">SB 5441</a>	<a href="#">HB 1235</a>	Storm water control	Feb 21 Executive session scheduled, but no action was taken in the Senate Committee on Energy, Environment & Telecommunications at 1:30 PM.	S Energy, Enviro	Rivers
<a href="#">SB 5457</a>	<a href="#">HB 1364</a>	Small rechargeable batteries	Feb 21 Executive session scheduled, but no action was taken in the Senate Committee on Energy, Environment & Telecommunications at 1:30 PM.	S Energy, Enviro	Nelson
<a href="#">SB 5533</a>		Vacant property revitalizing	Feb 14 Public hearing in the Senate Committee on Trade & Economic Development at 8:00 AM.	S Trade & Econom	Rolfes
<a href="#">SB 5545</a>		Working waterfront redevelop	Feb 21 Executive session scheduled, but no action was taken in the Senate Committee on Energy, Environment & Telecommunications at 1:30 PM.	S Energy, Enviro	Ranker
<a href="#">SB 5547</a>		Ocean acidification	Feb 21 Executive session scheduled, but no action was taken in the Senate Committee on Energy, Environment & Telecommunications at 1:30 PM.	S Energy, Enviro	Ranker
<a href="#">SB 5579</a>		Land use decisions		S Govt Ops	Benton
<a href="#">SB 5603</a>		Coastal marine adv. council	Feb 20 Public hearing, executive action taken in the Senate Committee on Energy, and Environment & Telecommunications at 8:00 AM.	S Ways & Means	Hatfield
<a href="#">SB 5610</a>	<a href="#">HB 1052</a>	Sewer systems in urban areas		S Govt Ops	Benton
<a href="#">SB 5623</a>	<a href="#">HB 1599</a>	Marine aquaculture		S Energy, Environ	Hargrove
<a href="#">SB 5658</a>		Mercury-containing lights	Feb 21 Executive action taken in the Senate Committee on Energy and Environment & Telecommunications at 1:30 PM.	S Rules 2	Ericksen
<a href="#">SSB 5663</a>		Derelict & abandoned vessels	Feb 21 Executive action taken in the Senate Committee on Natural Resources & Parks at 1:30 PM.	S Ways & Means	Pearson
<a href="#">SB 5679</a>	<a href="#">HB 1591</a>	Agency rule review process	Feb 25 Scheduled for public hearing in the Senate Committee on Ways & Means at 1:30 PM. (Subject to change)	S Ways & Means	Brown

<a href="#"><u>SSB 5702</u></a>		Aquatic invasive species	Feb 21 Executive action taken in the Senate Committee on Natural Resources & Parks at 1:30 PM.	S Rules 2	Honeyford
<a href="#"><u>SB 5788</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>HB 1275</u></a>	Wastewater discharge fees		S Energy, Enviro	Nelson
<a href="#"><u>SSB 5802</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>HB 1915</u></a>	Greenhouse gas emissions	Feb 21 Executive action taken in the Senate Committee on Energy and Environment & Telecommunications at 1:30 PM.	S Ways & Means	Ranker
<a href="#"><u>SB 5819</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>HB 1478</u></a>	Rule making, suspension of		S Govt Ops	Benton
<b>BUDGET</b>					
<a href="#"><u>HB 1057</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>SB 5034</u></a>	Operating budget 2013-2015	Jan 15 Public hearing in the House Committee on Appropriations at 3:30 PM.	H Approps	Hunter
<a href="#"><u>HB 1058</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>SB 5033</u></a>	Operating sup budget 2013	Jan 15 Public hearing in the House Committee on Appropriations at 3:30 PM.	H Approps	Hunter
<a href="#"><u>HB 1088</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>SB 5036</u></a>	State gen. obligation bonds	Jan 28 Public hearing in the House Committee on Capital Budget at 1:30 PM.	H Cap Budget	Dunshee
<a href="#"><u>HB 1089</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>SB 5035</u></a>	Capital budget 2013-2015	Jan 28 Public hearing in the House Committee on Capital Budget at 1:30 PM.	H Cap Budget	Dunshee
<a href="#"><u>HB 1864</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>SB 5024</u></a>	Trans budget 2011-13/2013-15		H Trans	Clibborn
<a href="#"><u>SB 5024</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>HB 1864</u></a>	Trans budget 2011-13/2013-15		S Transportation	King
<a href="#"><u>SB 5033</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>HB 1058</u></a>	Operating sup budget 2013		S Ways & Means	Hill
<a href="#"><u>SB 5034</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>HB 1057</u></a>	Operating budget 2013-2015		S Ways & Means	Hill
<a href="#"><u>SB 5035</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>HB 1089</u></a>	Capital budget 2013-2015		S Ways & Means	Honeyford
<a href="#"><u>SB 5036</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>HB 1088</u></a>	State gen. obligation bonds		S Ways & Means	Honeyford